

ELISHA PECK, JR.

Lehi Centennial History 1850-1950

Elisha Peck, Jr., son of Elisha and Charlotte Russon Peck, was born November 19, 1871. He was baptized December 6, 1879, in the Mulliner Mill Pond with six inches of snow and ice on the water. He was ordained a Deacon by his father January 31, 1835. He took his father's place as secretary of the Deacon's Quorum. He was ordained an Elder by Lott Russon, Sr., December 24, 1891; a Seventy January 31, 1904, by Rulon S. Wells; a High Priest July 11, 1948, by Frank W. Jones. He was chosen as a Sunday School Missionary by Andrew Fjeld, and was one of the first missionaries in Lehi. He was a Sunday School teacher and later in the Superintendency of the Fourth Ward Sunday School, where he labored for many years, teaching until he was 75 years of age.

He filled five missions: to Samoa, England, the Western States, and two in the Lehi Stake, the second of these as president.

He worked twenty years as chairman of the Old Folks Committee, from 1913 to 1933. He took pleasure in his labors among the old and young alike, and was always a great lover of children.

He married Elizabeth Jane Wilson on March 20, 1895. They had three lovely daughters and two sons.